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# Draft resolution on the implementation of paragraph 88 (a)–(h) of the outcome document of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (Rio+20) "The Future We Want"

*Recalling* the mandate contained in the United Nations General Assembly Resolution 2997 (XXVII) of 15 December 1972, which established the United Nations Environment Programme, and other relevant resolutions that reinforce its mandate, as well as the 1997 Nairobi Declaration on the Role and Mandate of the United Nations Environment Programme of 7 February 1997 and the 2000 Malmo Ministerial Declaration of 31 May 2000,

*Also recalling* the United Nations General Assembly resolutions 53/242 of 28 July 1999, 55/200 of 20 December 2000, 57/251 of 20 December 2002, 64/204 of 21 December 2009, 65/162 of 20 December 2010, 66/203 of 22 December 2011 and other previous resolutions relating to the Governing Council Global Ministerial Environment Forum of the United Nations Environment Programme,

*Recalling* the outcome document of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development, held from 20 to 22 June 2012 in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, entitled "The future we want" which invited the General Assembly to adopt, at its sixty-seventh session, a resolution strengthening and upgrading the United Nations Environment Programme, in the manner outlined in paragraph 88, subparagraphs (a) to (h) of the outcome document,

*Committed* to the implementation of Resolution 67/213 on the Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its twelfth special session and on the implementation of section IV C, entitled "Environmental pillar in the context of sustainable development", of the outcome document of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development,

*Recalling* decision 27/2 of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on the implementation of paragraph 88 of the outcome document of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development

*Reaffirming* its commitment to strengthening the role of the United Nations Environment Programme as the leading global environmental authority that sets the global environmental agenda, promotes the coherent implementation of the environmental dimension of sustainable development within the United Nations system and serves as an authoritative advocate for the global environment,

1. *Reiterates* the importance of the Nairobi headquarters location of the United Nations Environment Programme, and reaffirms its commitment to the effective consolidation of headquarters functions in Nairobi and the strengthening of UNEP's regional presence;

2. *Recalls* its strong commitment to the full implementation of paragraph 88 (a)-(h) and requests the Executive Director to provide regular briefings to the Committee of Permanent Representatives on the progress of its implementation;

3. *Requests* the Executive Director to report to the fourth session of the United Nations Environment Assembly on the implementation of this resolution.